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Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) Colouring composition for hair, ~~characterized in that it comprises~~comprising benzylurea and/or benzyl carbamate and/or N-(2-methoxybenzyl) urea and at least one direct acting dyestuff.
2. (Previously Amended) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 1 wherein direct acting dyestuff are selected from acidic, anionic dyestuffs.
3. (Currently Amended) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 1, wherein it comprises ~~benzylurea and/or benzyl carbamate and/or N-(2-methoxybenzyl) urea~~ at a concentration of 0.1 – 10% by weight, calculated to the total composition.
4. (Previously Amended) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 1, wherein it comprises direct acting dyestuffs at a concentration of 0.001 - 5% by weight calculated to the total composition.
5. (Previously Amended) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 1, wherein it further comprises organic solvents.
6. (Previously Amended) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 1, wherein the pH of the composition is in the range from 1 to 5.
7. (Previously Amended) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 1, wherein it further comprises organic or inorganic acids or their mixtures.
8. (Currently Amended) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 1, wherein it further comprises at least one physiologically compatible hair conditioning agent selected

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from oily substances, non-ionic substances, cationic amphiphilic compounds, cationic polymers ~~or~~ and their mixtures.

9. (Previously Amended) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 1, wherein it further comprises polymeric thickening agents.

10. (Currently Amended) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 1, wherein it has viscosity from 1,000 mPa.s to 60,000 mPa.s measured at 20°C with Brookfield viscosimeter ~~with for example Spindle 5 at 5 rpm.~~

11. (new) Colouring composition for hair, comprising benzylurea and/or benzyl carbamate and/or N-(2-methoxybenzyl) urea and at least one direct acting, acidic, anionic dyestuff.

12. (new) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 11, wherein it comprises benzylurea and/or benzyl carbamate and/or N-(2-methoxybenzyl) urea at a concentration of 0.1 – 10% by weight, calculated to the total composition.

13. (new) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 11, wherein it comprises direct acting dyestuffs at a concentration of 0.001 - 5% by weight calculated to the total composition.

14. (new) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 11, wherein it further comprises organic solvents.

15. (new) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 11, wherein the pH of the composition is in the range from 1 to 5.

16. (new) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 11, wherein it further comprises organic or inorganic acids or their mixtures.

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17. (new) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 11, wherein it further comprises at least one physiologically compatible hair conditioning agent selected from oily substances, non-ionic substances, cationic amphiphilic compounds, cationic polymers and their mixtures.

18. (new) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 11, wherein it further comprises polymeric thickening agents.

19. (new) Colouring composition for hair according to claim 11, wherein it has viscosity from 1,000 mPa.s to 60,000 mPa.s measured at 20°C with Brookfield viscosimeter.